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For PESTICIDE COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING OXALIC ACID  
Examiner S. Mark Clardy

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**AMENDMENT D**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

SIR:

In connection with the Request for Continued Examination being filed contemporaneously herewith, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 33 of this paper.